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SUBJ: SUMMONS: HOWARD R. HUGHES

1. US DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEVADA ACTING AT THE REQUEST OF MR. DEAN VERNON, ASSISTANT US ATTORNEY, HAS REQUESTED THAT THE EMBASSY SERVE A SUMMONS FOR THE APPEARANCE OF HOWARD R. HUGHES BEFORE THAT DISTRICT COURT IN RENO, NEVADA ON OCTOBER 25, 1974. THE SUMMONS IS FOR MR. HUGHES TO ANSWER TO AN INDICTMENT CHARGING HIM WITH VIOLATION OF TITLE 18, USC SECTIONS 371, 1342 & 2; TITLE 15, USC, SEC- TIONS 78J(B) &78FF - CONSPIRACY; STOCK MANIPULATION; WIRE FRAUD; AIDING AND ABETTING.

2. AS DEPARTMENT UNDOUBTEDLY AWARE, HOWARD HUGHES IS ALLEGED TO BE RESIDING AT THE HOTEL XARADU, FREEPORT, GRAND BAHAMA. IT WOULD BE APPRECIATED IF DEPARTMENT, IN CONSULTATION WITH DISTRICT COURT AND ASSISTANT US ATTORNEY, WOULD OBTAIN FROM THE APPROPRIATE SOURCE FUNDS FOR TRAVEL OF A CONSULAR OFFICER TO FREEPORT TO ATTEMPT TO SERVE THE SUMMONS ON MR. HUGHES. (FYI: WE DOUBT OUR CONSULAR OFFICER WILL HAVE ANY MORE SUCCESS IN REACHING MR. HUGHES THAN OTHER INDIVIDUALS HAVE HAD.)

3. EMBASSY HAS BEEN ADVISED THAT QUESTIONS CONCERNING THE SUMMONS FOR THE APPEARANCE OF MR. HUGHES SHOULD BE DIRECTED

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TO DEAN VERNON, ESQ., ASSISTANT US ATTORNEY, DISTRICT OF

NEVADA, US COURTHOUSE & FEDERAL BLDG., 300 LAS VEGAS BLVD.,  
SOUTH LAS VEGAS, NEVADA, (702) 385-6336.

4. PLEASE ADVISE OUTCOME OF CONSULTATIONS. TRAVEL PER DIEM  
FOR TWO OR THREE DAYS STAY IN FREEPORT ESTIMATED AT \$108.00  
TO \$134.00.

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